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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2007, the period of response for which extension is requested by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as listed below and set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Specification;

Amendments to the Claims; and

Remarks are included following the amendments.